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THE following Addreſs from the Grand Inqueſt of the County of *Middleſex*, was preſented to Her Majeſty by *Thomas Cullum*, Eſq; their Foreman, being introduced by his Grace the Duke of *Buckingham*, Lord Preſident of Her Majeſty's Council, and Lord-Lieutenant and *Cuſtos Rotulorum* of the ſaid County.

May it pleaſe Your moſt Excellent Majeſty,

We Your Majeſty's moſt Loyal and Obedient Subjects, the Grand Inqueſt and Freeholders for the County of *Middleſex*, at our Meeting at *Weſtminſter* in *Trinity* Term, *Anno Dom.* 1712.

DO in the gratefulleſt and ſincereſt manner expreſs our unfeigned Thanks to Your Majeſty for Your unparalleld Condeſcenſion in imparting to Your Parliament thoſe advantageous Offers of Peace made to You by our Enemies.

Which as it is the univerſal Deſire of all Your well-principled Subjects, ſo we doubt not but the experienced Wiſdom and Goodneſs of Your Majeſty, in Conjunction with the Integrity and Vigilance of Your Majeſty's preſent Miniſters, will bring the ſame to an honourable, ſafe, and happy Concluſion; and at the ſame defeat the malicious and clandeſtine Deſigns of the Invaders of Your Majeſty's undoubted Prerogative, who have endeavoured to Obſtruct that Peace which Your Majeſty has the ſole Power of making.

Nor is Your Majeſty more Indulgent to Your People in ſecuring this Peace, than in providing for the Settlement of the Succeſſion to theſe Kingdoms in that Illuſtrious Houſe of Hanover, *from whoſe Vertues we may juſtly hope the greateſt Advantages.*

We therefore beg the Almighty to add to thoſe Bleſſings Your Majeſty has procured for us, by protecting Your moſt Sacred Perſon from Foreign Violence, and home-bred Faction; by preſerving a Life ſo beneficial and exemplary to Your Subjects and Poſterity, till he ſhall reward Your noted Piety, Clemency, and Juſtice with everlaſting Glory.

The following Addreſs from the Grand Jury of the County of *Cambridge*, was preſented to Her Majeſty by *John Bromley*, Eſq; one of their Repreſentatives in Parliament, being introduced by his Grace the Duke of *Shrewsbury*, Lord-Chamberlain of Her Majeſty's Houſhold.

To the QUEEN's *Moſt Excellent Majeſty,*

The humble Addreſs of the Deputy-Lieutenants, Juſtices of the Peace, Grand Jury and Gentlemen, at the General Quarter Seſſions of the Peace held at *Cambridge*, for the County of *Cambridge*, on *Thurſday* the 17th of *July*, 1712.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign.

NOne of Your Majeſty's moſt loyal Subjects can go beyond us in Thankfulneſs and Acknowledgments for Your great Condeſcenſion in communicating to Your Parliament the Terms offered by France, for concluding a General Peace: And as Your Majeſty graciouſly declares, that You are ſteadily reſolved to purſue in the firſt Place, the true Intereſt of Your own Kingdoms, and that You will not omit any thing which may procure to all Your Allies what is due to them by Treaties, and what is neceſſary for their Security: And ſince that important Fortreſs of Dunkirk *is delivered to Your Majeſty, as a Pledge from* France, *we do with the utmoſt Joy and Gratitude hope we ſhall now poſſeſs the invaluable Bleſſing of an honourable and laſting Peace, when Your Subjects ſhall no longer have their heavy Burden encreas'd by new Debts, but even thoſe they are already preſt with, will be continually leſſ'ning by a flouriſhing Trade.*

We cannot but upon this Occaſion alſo, render Your Majeſty great Thanks and Acknowledgments for the particular Care You have taken in Your Demands, for the Security of the Succeſſion in the Illuſtrious Houſe of Hanover.

May Your Majeſty long enjoy the Bleſſing of Health and Peace, and Your Subjects ſhew their Gratitude, by a dutiful and ready Obedience to Your moſt Sacred Perſon: Which are the earneſt Prayers of Your Majeſty's moſt Loyal and Obedient Subjects.

The following Addreſs was preſented to Her Majeſty by Sir *Richard Child*, Bart. One of the Repreſentatives of the County of *Eſſex*, and *John Comyns* Serjeant at Law, Chairman of the Quarter Seſſions, accompanied by Sir *Charles Barrington* and Sir *Francis Maſham*, Barts. Sir *Edward Turnour*, Mr. Serjeant *Green*, and ſeveral Gentlemen of that County, being introduced by the Right Honourable the Lord Viſcount *Bolingbroke*, one of Her Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State, in the abſence of the Right Honourable *Richard* Earl *Rivers*, Lord Lieutenant and *Cuſtos Rotulorum* of the ſaid County.

To the QUEEN's *moſt Excellent Majeſty,*

The humble Addreſs of the Deputy-Lieutenants, Juſtices of Peace and Grand Jury, with the Clergy and Gentlemen aſſembled at the General Quarter Seſſions of the Peace holden for the County of *Eſſex* at *Chelmsford*, on the 15th Inſtant.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign!

THE Glories of Your Reign have given frequent Occaſions to Your Subjects of approaching Your Sacred Perſon with the Expreſſions of their Joy and Thankfulneſs: We have now greater occaſion of doing ſo, from the Proſpect of Peace (the Fruit of Your former Victories) brought near to a concluſion, by Your wiſe and happy Negotiations, and ſo deſirable to Your People, long preſſed with the heavy burden of War.

We who have been always zealous Aſſerters of the Rights of Monarchy, have that entire Confidence in Your Royal Care for the Good and Welfare of Your Kingdoms, that we could with great Security, have relied on the Meaſures Your Majeſty ſhould think

think proper to take for accompliſhing ſo great a Work, without a curious Enquiry into the manner of Proceeding in a Tranſaction, acknowledged to be the undoubted Prerogative of the Crown: But ſince You have been pleaſed to give an uncommon Inſtance of Goodneſs and Condeſcenſion, in communicating to both Your Houſes of Parliament, the Terms on which a Peace may be made: We cannot but admire the prudent Proviſion, which Settles an equal Balance of Power in Europe *on ſuch a Foot as engages the Enemy, as well as the Confederates, in an Intereſt to preſerve it, which affords ſuch large Advantages of Trade, in amends for the Loſſes we ſuffer'd in it by the War; which enlarges the* Proteſtant *Intereſt in* Europe, *and ſtrengthens ſo much the* Proteſtant *Succeſſion in the Illuſtrious Houſe of* Hanover; *for which Your Majeſty upon every proper Occaſion hath demonſtrated a ſincere and firm Concern: And the delivery of* Dunkirk, *a Place of ſo conſiderable Importance, into Your Poſſeſſion, gives ample Aſſurance of the real Intentions to perform what ſhall be agreed on in this Treaty, there remains no ground to doubt, but that your Majeſty may as well for Your Allies (if they pleaſe) as for your own Dominions, eſtabliſh a ſafe and laſting Peace.*

Having, by the unwearied Endeavours of a vigilant Miniſtry, thus far ſurmounted the Difficulties of an Affair perplex'd in its Nature, and made more ſo, by the Artifices of ſome who may think to find their Intereſt better in the continuance of a War: We cannot but hope, that Great Britain *may be allowed their Share in the Honour and Advantages of the one, as well as in the Hazards and Expences of the other; and that Your Majeſty will be able to overcome all Obſtructions in the finiſhing what hath been ſo wiſely Concerted for the Happineſs of Your Realms, and to the general Satisfaction of Your Loving and Dutiful Subjects.*

The following Addreſs from the County of *Carnarvon*, was preſented to Her Majeſty by *William Griffith*, Eſq; their Repreſentative in Parliament, being introduced by the Right Honourable the Earl of *Cholmondeley*, Lord-Lieutenant of *North-Wales*.

To the QUEEN's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the High-Sheriff, Deputy-Lieutenants, Juſtices of the Peace, Clergy, and Gentlemen of the County of *Carnarvon*, with the Aldermen, Bailiffs and Burgeſſes of the Borough of *Carnarvon*.

WE Your Majeſty's moſt Dutiful and Loyal Subjects humbly beg leave to Approach Your Sacred Perſon, with our grateful Acknowledgment for Your acquainting Your People with the welcome News, that France *is at laſt reduced to offer ſuch Terms for a General Peace, as we hope will ſecure us from all future Attempts. And as the Proteſtant Succeſſion in the moſt Illuſtrious Houſe of* Hanover, *is, with our deepeſt Satisfaction, ſo tenderly regarded by You: So we entirely depend upon Your Majeſty's great Wiſdom for compleating the good and great Work of Peace, which is now Negotiating.*

That Your Majeſty may ſpeedily compaſs this glorious Bleſſing, to Your own unſpeakable Honour, the Eaſe and Benefit of Your Subjects, and the Safety of Your Allies, are the hearty Prayers of, Madam, *Your Majeſty's moſt Dutiful and Loyal Subjects.*

The following Addreſs from the County of *Buckingham*, was preſented to Her Majeſty by the Right Honourable the Lord Viſcount *Fermannagh*, attended by the Honourable *Charles Leigh*, *Robert Gear*, Eſqs; *Symon Harcourt*, Chairman of the Seſſions, *Tho. Chapman*, Eſq; and ſeveral other Gentlemen of the County, being introduced by the Right Honourable the Lord *Cheyne* Viſcount *Newhaven*, Lord Lieutenant and *Cuſtos Rotulorum* of the ſaid County.

To the QUEEN's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Juſtices of the Peace and Grand Jury of the County of *Buckingham*, at the General Quarter Seſſions of the Peace holden at *Aylesbury* the 17th of this Inſtant, and of other Gentlemen and Freeholders of the ſaid County.

IN great Humility, Madam, *we beg leave to acknowledge Your Majeſty's Goodneſs, in condeſcending to lay before Your Parliament the Terms on which a General Peace may be made, tho' Peace and War is Your Majeſty's undoubted Prerogative; and ſince that approaching Bleſſing is altogether owing to Your Conſummate Wiſdom, it cannot be otherwiſe than Safe, Honourable, and Beneficial, not only to Your own Kingdoms, but to all Your Allies that will imbrace it, and a ſtrong Security to the* Proteſtant *Succeſſion in the Illuſtrious Houſe of* Hanover, *as by Law eſtabliſhed.*

And altho' innumerable Difficulties have ariſen and been artfully encreaſed by Your Pretended Friends, aſſiſted and encouraged by malicious and factious Spirits, whereby the accompliſhment of ſo glorious a Work (worthy only of Your Majeſty) hath been hitherto retarded, we doubt not, but by Your Majeſty's ſo wiſe a Choice of able and faithful Miniſters at Home, and of Your experienced and indefatigable Plenipotentiaries Abroad, all equal to the high Truſt Your Majeſty has been pleaſed to repoſe in them, all thoſe Obſtructions will, by their prudent Conduct, be ſoon removed, and a general Peace concluded, which will immortalize Your Majeſty's Glory, and tend to all the true and extenſive Intereſts deſigned thereby. The French *King's ſurrendring that impregnable Fortreſs of* Dunkirk *into Your Majeſty's Hands at this time, when moſt of Your Allies have deſerted Your General, and unjuſtly Confederated to hinder Your giving Peace to* Europe, *is a noble Inſtance of the ſagatious Deliberations of Your Miniſtry, and plainly ſhews it is at no great diſtance from us.*

The following Addreſs from the Borough of *Helſton* in the County of *Cornwall*, was preſented to Her Majeſty by *Robert Child*, Eſq; one of their Repreſentatives in Parliament, being introduced by the Right Honourable the Lord *Lanſdowne*, Comptroller of Her Majeſty's Houſhold.

To the QUEEN's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Aldermen, free-Burgeſſes, and other principal Inhabitants of Your Majeſty's antient and loyal Borough of *Helſton* in the County of *Cornwall*.

Moſt Dread Sovereign!

YOur Majeſty's great Condeſcenſion, in communicating to Your Parliament the Terms on which a general Peace may be made, ſo honourable to Your Majeſty, beneficial to Your Kingdoms, and juſt to all Your Allies (when 'tis the undoubted Prerogative of the Crown to make Peace and War) obliges us, Your Majeſty's moſt Dutiful and Loyal Subjects, humbly to approach Your Sacred Throne, with Hearts full of Gratitude for Your Majeſty's unparallel'd Goodneſs therein.

As by Your Majeſty's conſummate Wiſdom and Conduct ſo great a Progreſs is already made towards a Peace, that the important Fortreſs of Dunkirk *is delivered into Your Majeſty's Hands, ſo we doubt not but by the Bleſſing of Almighty God, Your Majeſty will ſoon accompliſh Your glorious Deſign, of eſtabliſhing a real Balance of Power in* Europe, *maugre the artful Contrivances of a reſtleſs and malicious Party to obſtruct it, who would Sacrifice the Peace of* Europe *to their boundleſs Ambition and Avarice.*

That

That Your Majesty may long live to frustrate all their sinister Designs, and to enjoy the blessed Fruits of Your pious Endeavours for the Good of Your People, is and shall be the constant Prayer of Your Majesty's most Dutiful and Obedient Subjects.

The following Address from the Justices of the City and Liberty of *Westminster*, High Bailiff and Grand Jury assembled at their Quarter Sessions of the Peace held for the City and Liberty, was presented to Her Majesty by *Thomas Medlycott*, Esq; Chairman of the said Sessions, accompanied by the said Justices, and most of the Grand Jury, being introduced by his Grace the Duke of *Buckingham*, Lord President of Her Majesty's most honourable Privy Council, Lord Lieutenant of the County of *Middlesex*, and *Custos Rotulorum* of the said County, and also of the City of *Westminster*.

To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace, High Bailiff, and Grand Jury for this City and Liberty of *Westminster*, at their General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, held for the said City, on the 11th of this Instant.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE Your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, do most joyfully embrace this first Opportunity of our Meeting in Quarter Sessions, to acknowledge, with all imaginable Gratitude, Your Majesty's Goodness and Condescension in, communicating to Your People the Terms on which a General Peace may be concluded, tho' the Power of making Peace and War be the undoubted Prerogative of the Crown.

The many Addresses that have gone before us, are sufficient to convince the World, how acceptable to Your People is the prospect of such a Peace; and the possession of Dunkirk, *is a sure Pledge that this glorious Work draws near a happy Conclusion.*

Be pleased therefore, Madam, *to permit us to congratulate Your Majesty upon the Surrender of that important Fortress, thus obtained without Bloodshed, which some few Years ago would have been thought a very easie Purchase at the Expence of several Millions of Money and Thousands of Lives.*

We therefore placing an entire Confidence in Your Majesty's Wisdom, and the Ability and Fidelity of Your Ministers, do not doubt but You will be throughly enabled to perfect such a Peace as will be for the Honour and Advantage of Great Britain, *the Safety of Your Allies, and the Security of the Protestant Succession in the Illustrious House of* Hanover, *notwithstanding any Obstructions, how artfully soever they may be contrived, to hinder so great and good a Work: And we sincerely promise in our several Stations to use our utmost Endeavours to obviate the Practices of such ill-minded Persons as may attempt to sow Sedition among Your Subjects, and under specious Pretences, carry on Designs they dare not own.*

The following Address from the Borough of *Aylesbury*, was presented to Her Majesty by *Simon Harcourt* and *John Essington*, Esqs; their Representatives in Parliament, being introduced by the Right Honourable the Lord *Cheyne* Viscount *Newhaven*, Lord-Lieutenant and *Custos Rotulorum* of the said County.

To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Constables and Inhabitants of the Antient Borough of *Aylesbury*, in the County of *Bucks*.

Most Dread Sovereign,

WE Your Majesty's most Dutiful and Loyal Subjects, being truly sensible of Your Majesty's Compassionate Concern for the Interest of Your People, in endeavouring to put a Period to this heavy and expensive War, by giving us a near View of a Peace, which will tend to the Honour and Benefit of Britain, *to the establishing a real Balance of Power in* Europe, *and to the Advancement of Trade; and being also truly sensible of the just regard Your Majesty has shewed for the Security of Your Allies, and for the Protestant Succession, do, with the utmost Gratitude, acknowledge Your Majesty's Goodness therein, and also in procuring more considerable Advantages to Your own Kingdoms in this, than were ever thought of during the Course of the War in any former Treaty. We most humbly beseech Your Majesty to pursue those glorious Designs, by such unerring Methods as Your Majesty in Your Princely Wisdom shall think most proper. A Peace, Madam, will be a full Recompence to all Your Subjects for their Contributions to maintain the War; A Peace will give them new Life, and enable them to improve their Commerce at Home and Abroad, whereby their Wealth will soon encrease, and their Minds be at perfect Ease: All Your Majesty's faithful Subjects, who do not delight in War, will with Sincerity of Heart pray to Heaven, as we do, that these Your glorious Aims may be Crowned with Success, and that Your Reign over us may be long and Prosperous.*

The following Address of the Grand Jurors of the County of *Warwick*, was presented to Her Majesty by *John Chetwynd*, of *Grendon*, in the County of *Warwick*, Esq; being introduced by the Right Honourable the Earl of *Northampton*, Lord-Lieutenant and *Custos Rotulorum* of the said County.

To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Justices of the Peace, Deputy-Lieutenants and Grand Jurors, at the General Sessions of the Peace held at *Warwick*, for the County of *Warwick*, the Seventeenth of *June* last.

Madam,

OUR Representatives in Parliament have so fully expressed the Sentiments of all Loyal Subjects, that we own our selves obliged to concur with them in their just and dutiful Confidence, in Your Majesty's Wisdom and Goodness.

All Your Majesty's Subjects have seen and enjoyed so many Instances of both, that none but such as have very little Gratitude, or very ill Designs, can endeavour to lessen Your Majesty's just Prerogative, or suspect the use of it.

Your Majesty is exercising it now, to one of the most glorious Purposes, in giving Peace to the Nations round about You; Your Majesty's generous Concern for the just Pretensions of Your Allies, and Your zealous Affection for the House of Hanover, *is a clear Proof how wisely they have placed their Confidence in You, and how well You have deserved it. And such is the pious Care You show for the Interest of Your own People, that it will no longer be said, that* England *loses by Treaties what it has gained by Battles.*

May all Your Subjects make such returns of Duty to Your Majesty, as we of this County shall; and though we have not all Opportunities or Abilities like him among us, whom Your Majesty has called to Your Council, and Your Loyal Commons to their Chair; yet we have all Hearts like him, faithfully devoted to Your Majesty's Service, the Churches Interest, and the Kingdoms Peace.

The following Address from the High Sheriff, &c. of the City and County of *Exon*, was presented to Her Majesty by *Nicholas Wood*, Esq; one of the Aldermen of the City of *Exon*, accompanied by Sir *William Drake*, Bart. and *Francis Gwyn*, Esq; being introduced by the Right Honourable the Earl *Poulet*, Lord-Steward of Her Majesty's Household, and Lord-Lieutenant of the said City.

To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the High Sheriff and Grand Jury of the City and County of *Exon*, at the General

neral Quarter Sessions of the Peace, held at the Guildhall of the said City, on the Fourteenth Instant.

May it please Your Majesty,

WE humbly beg leave, with the rest of Your Majesty's most Loyal and Dutiful Subjects, to return our Thanks to Your Majesty, for the hopeful Prospect You have been pleased to give us of an honourable and lasting Peace: A Blessing every way desirable to a People, harrassed by a tedious and burdensome War, but especiall when accompanied with Circumstances of the utmost Advantage to us.

Your Majesty hath proceeded in this great Affair with that Wisdom and Firmness, which became the Dignity of the Crown You wear. You have obliged Your Enemies to make You the most ample Concessions, both for Honour and Interest: And You have obtained from them an immediate and undeniable Proof of their being in earnest by the actual surrender of Dunkirk.

At the same time Your Majesty hath not been wanting in Your Endeavours for the reasonable Security of Your Allies; though You have not thought fit to prefer every Pretension of theirs, either to the general Tranquility of Europe, *or to the interest of Your own People.*

Your Majesty's Concern for Your own People hath indeed been most visible throughout the whole Work: Your Majesty hath taken effectual Care, that the Figure of the British *Nation should be no less at the conclusion of a Peace, than it hath been during the length of the War; and that Her future Security and Advantages, should bear a Proportion to her past Hardships and Expences; particularly we, with Your Majesty's other Trading Subjects, have all possible Obligations to Your Majesty, as well for restoring Commerce where it hath been formerly Exercised, as for extending it where it hath hitherto been Unknown.*

We rejoice, that Your Majesty in this difficult Juncture hath been assisted by so able and faithful a Ministry, and by a Parliament so truly British: *May Your Majesty always be Blessed with such Assistance; and may the Divine Goodness so prosper Your Majesty's Counsels, that You may accomplish to Your entire Satisfaction, the most glorious Work You are now Engaged in, notwithstanding the Envy, Art or Diligence, of those who delight either in War Abroad, or in Faction at Home.*

The following Address from the Borough of *Sandwich*, was presented to Her Majesty by *Josiah Burchett*, Esq; one of their Representatives in Parliament, being introduced by his Grace the Duke of *Shrewsbury*, Lord Chamberlain of Her Majesty's Houshold.

To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Mayor, Jurats, Common-Council, and Inhabitants of Your Majesty's antient Town and Port of *Sandwich* in the County of *Kent.*

WE Your Majesty's most Dutiful and Loyal Subjects, with all Humility approach Your Sacred Person, to express our grateful Acknowledgments to Your Majesty, for Your most gracious Condescension, in communicating to Your Parliament the Terms on which a safe and honourable Peace may be obtained.

We are most deeply sensible of the Princely Regard Your Majesty has at all times shewn, for the Good and Welfare of Your People; but never had we a greater Occasion to express our unfeigned Joy and Satisfaction, than in the affectionate and tender Care Your Majesty has been pleased to shew for the Happiness and Prosperity of Your People, in securing the Protestant Succession in the Illustrious House of Hanover, *and restoring Peace to* Europe.

May the God of Peace bless Your Majesty's Endeadeavours, in bringing to Perfection so great and glorious a Work; and may Your Majesty long live and Reign over us, to reap the happy Fruit thereof, are the most hearty Prayers of Your Majesty's most Obedient, most Faithful, and most Loyal Subjects.

The following Address from the County of *Bedford*, was presented to Her Majesty by Sir *Rowland Chernocke*, Bart. and *John Harvey*, Esq; accompanied by a great Number of the most considerable Gentlemen of the said County, being introduced by the Right Honourable the Lord *Bruce.*

To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Justices of Peace, Grand Jury, and Gentlemen, assembled at the Quarter Sessions held at the Town of *Bedford*, in and for the County of *Bedford*, on the 16th of this Instant; together with other the Gentlemen, Clergy, and Freeholders of the said County.

May it please Your Majesty,

'TIS with the sincerest Joy we lay hold of this Opportunity of testifying to Your Majesty the grateful Sense we have of Your Majesty's great Condescension, in laying before Your Parliament the Terms of Peace which France *has been induc'd to comply with; Terms so honourable and advantageous to* Great Britain, *so just and secure to all the Allies, as we have but lately dared even to hope for, and such as could only be obtained by Your Majesty's most consummate Prudence in the Choice of an able and faithful Ministry; such Terms as we trust neither those who envy the making a good Peace, nor who think it their Interest to continue the War; such as neither the Faction at Home, nor* Mutiny *Abroad, will be able to render ineffectual.*

And while we thus justly applaud your Majesty's Care in the Negotiations, and gratefully acknowledge your Goodness in the Communication thereof to your People, we cannot, without Indignation, reflect upon the Conduct of some among us, who, tho' they find the extent of their former Desires accomplished, in the Acknowledgment of your Majesty's Title, the Recognition of the Protestant *Succession, the demolition of* Dunkirk, *with such additional Advantages as even their own factious Ambition could not suggest, remain still unsatisfied; which shews, even to Demonstration, that War is their Delight, and private Ends, the Motive of their publick Exclamations.*

We beg leave therefore, with all submission, to assure your Majesty that we shall, in our several Stations, use our best endeavours to obviate the Designs of such ill-minded Persons, who may attempt to sow Sedition among your Majesty's Subjects, and under specious Pretences, carry on Designs they dare not own; and that in future Parliaments we too will endeavour to be truly represented, by returning such Members as are honest Assertors of the Monarchy, zealous Defenders of the Constitution, and real Friends to the Protestant *Succession.*

We heartily pray that your Majesty may long and happily Reign over us, and that you may have the satisfaction of seeing your Kingdoms, by a settled Peace and a flourishing Trade, once more Rich, Prosperous and Formidable to its Enemies both at Home and Abroad.

The following Address from the Borough of *Doncaster*, was presented to Her Majesty by *Brian Cooke*, Esq; accompanied by Sir *Arthur Kay*, Bar. and Colonel *Byerley*, being introduced by his Grace the Duke of *Buckingham*, Lord-President of Her Majesty's most Honourable Privy-Council, and Lord-Lieutenant of the *East*-Riding of *York.*

To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, Common Council, Gentlemen, Freeholders

holders, and other Inhabitants of Your Majesty's antient and loyal Borough and Soake of *Doncaster* in the County of *York*

May it please Your Majesty,

TO permit us, upon such an Occasion as this, with Hearts full of Gratitude and Duty, to approach Your Royal Presence. The most dutiful and loyal Addresses of Your Majesty's two Houses of Parliament, as they are an evident Demonstration of the Sense of the Nation, so they must be a convincing Proof to the World, of the entire Confidence of Your People in Your Majesty's Wisdom and Goodness; yet that nothing may be wanting on our Parts, particularly to express our Duty, we, at a regardful Distance, in the most humble and dutiful Manner, presume to offer our most thankful Acknowledgments for Your great Condescension, when it was wholly in Your own Power to make Peace, to Communicate the Terms on which it may be had, to Your two Houses of Parliament; and for Your singular Care in having the Interests of Your Subjects so much at Heart, as appears by assuring the Succession in the Illustrious House of Hanover, *and by that advantageous Progress made in an honourable Peace: In the Management whereof Your consummate Wisdom depends, not upon specious Promises, but real Security, to the singular Pleasure of all Your good Subjects, and the utter Confusion of those cunning and ambitious Men, that so industriously Oppose and malign it.*

May Your Majesty speedily accomplish what You have so well begun, and live long to see the happy Effects of Peace in all Your Dominions, and enjoy the dutiful Return of an Obedient People for so great a Blessing: We beg leave to repeat our most solemn Assurances for maintaining that inviolable Allegiance that we always professed to, and preserved for our Princes, especially Your Majesty, who by the straitest Ties of Love and Care, as well as by Right of Inheritance, has so just a Title to the best Services, and most entire Confidence of Your Majesty's most dutiful and Loyal Subjects.

All which Addresses Her Majesty receiv'd very Graciously.

Brussels, July 28. *N. S.* The Account of the Earl of Albemarle's defeat near Denain, on the Twenty fourth Instant, was confirmed by Letters of the Day following. The Troops under his Lordship's Command, consisted of Eight Squadrons and Nineteen Battalions, whereof Six were a Reinforcement sent by Prince Eugene, upon Advice that the French had formed a Design against that Post. On the Twenty third Marshal Villars ordered Bridges to be laid over the Sambre, as if he meant to attack the Left Wing of the Prince's Army, but at the same time he detached Thirty Battalions, which, in conjunction with the Garrison of Valenciennes, passed the Schelde at Neuveville, and came in the Morning within sight of the Earl of Albemarle's Camp. Upon the first Appearance of the Enemy, his Lordship sent away the Horse with his Baggage. Monsieur Albergotti, who commanded the French Forces, order'd the Attack to be made against Four Battalions, who throwing down their Arms upon the first Discharge, gave the Enemy an Opportunity of entring the Lines. The Dispute was sharp for above an Hour, but the Enemy being so much superior in Number, our Men were forced to give way: The Bridge by which they endeavoured to retire being broken down, about Two thousand of them were killed, and drowned in the Schelde, and the remainder made Prisoners or dispersed. Marshal Villars came to Denain immediately after this Engagement, and it is apprehended he may have made himself Master of Marchiennes, where the States had laid up considerable Stores of Provision. The same Letters add, that Prince Eugene has made a Movement with his Army, posting his Right at Bavay, with an Intention to draw the Convoys and Provisions from Mons, by which means we hope that, notwithstanding this Misfortune, he will still be in a condition to carry on the Siege of Landrecy.

Utrecht, July 29. *N. S.* The twenty sixth Instant Count Sinzendorff received an Express from Prince Eugene with Advice, that on the twenty fourth an Action had happened at Denain, a Village near Bouchain, between Mareschal Villar's Army and a Body of the Confederates, consisting of about Thirteen thousand Men, commanded by the Earl of Albemarle; in which the latter had the Misfortune to be defeated, and saved only six Battalions of their Men, who escaped to Marchiennes. The Earl is taken Prisoner, with several Officers of Distinction. Yesterday, upon the arrival of an Express from Mareschal Villars, the French Plenipotentiaries gave out, that on the twenty fifth the Troops of that Nation made themselves Masters of Marchiennes, St. Amand and Hasnon, three Posts on the River Scarpe, and that they had found therein Eleven Battalions, whom they obliged to surrender themselves Prisoners of War. In the first of these Places the Mareschal also took a great quantity of Provisions, Ammunition, and several Pieces of Cannon, which were designed to be employed in the Siege of Landrecy. They say farther, that Prince Eugene has raised that Siege, and marched with his Army towards Quesnoy; the French being encamped on the other side the Schelde, with their Right extended to Marchiennes, and the Left to Valenciennes. This Day the Earl of Strafford arrived here from the Duke of Ormond's Army.

Kensington, July 23. Yesterday the Queen went from hence to Hampton-Court, and this Day Her Majesty set out for Windsor, where She arrived in very good Health.

Whitehall, July 23. Her Majesty hath been graciously pleased to confer the Honour of Knighthood on Joseph Martin, Esq;

Whereas by an Act past last Sessions of Parliament, the Lords Commissioners of Trade and Plantations are Authorised and Impowered to issue Debentures to such of the Sufferers of Nevis and St. Christophers, as shall make Proof before their Lordships of their having resettled in the said Islands: This is to give Notice, that Attendance will be given at their Lordships Office at the Cockpit in Whitehall, every Monday and Thursday in the Morning from Eight till Two, to receive the Claims of the said Sufferers.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England, Trading to the East-Indies, Do hereby give Notice, That a General Court of the said Company will be holden at the East India-House in Leadenhall street, London, on the 1st of August next, from Ten in the Morning until One, and from Three in the Afternoon until Six, to chuse a Director in the room of Sir John Fleet, Kt. and Alderman, deceased: At which time and place will be also chosen a Trustee for the General Society, and the Election will be declared that Night; And that the Transfer Book will be shut up from Thursday Evening the 31st Instant, to Monday the 4th of August next.

Notice is hereby given, That a General Quarterly Court for the Corporation of the Amicable Society for a Perpetual Assurance Office, will be held at Stationers-hall, on the 31st Instant, at Three in the Afternoon; and that no Person be admitted into the said Court, but only such who are Contributors on their own Lives.

The Committee for Letting the Cities Lands in the Account of the Chamberlain of the City of London, give notice, That they intend to Lett by Lease, a large House fronting the Gateway, leading into Duke's Place from Leadenhall-street; a Tenement against Aldgate Church-yard in Houndsditch, known by the Sign of the Grid Iron, and two Tenements in the Minories, in the Possessions of John Fawcett and John Stringer: And that the said Committee